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TO AMEMBASSY MANAMA IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MARR, BA

SUBJECT: MIDEASTFOR LEASE

REFERENCE: MANAMA 1510

DEPARTMENT AND DOD SHARE YOUR STRONG DESIRE TO HAVE MID-EASTFOR LEASE ISSUE RESOLVED AS PROMPTLY AS POSSIBLE. HOWEVER, CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS ON LEASE ARE NOT EXPECTED BEFORE WEEK OF 18 JULY AND COULD BE AS LATE AS WEEK OF 1 AUGUST. MILITARY INSTALLATIONS AND FACILITIES SUBCOMMITTEE OF HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE IS STILL INVOLVED WITH DOLS 1.3 BILLION MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATION BILL, TO THE EXCLUSION OF OTHER MATTERS. DOD HAS CONCLUDED THAT APPROACHING SUBCOMMITTEE AT THIS JUNCTURE TO CONCENTRATE ON MIDEASTFOR LEASE WOULD BE COUNTERPRODUCTIVE TO EVENTUAL SUBCOMMITTEE APPROVAL AND, IN ANY EVENT, IS NOT LIKELY TO SUCCEED.

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